



Skjulte og spesielle håndjernnøkler





Introduction

On a daily basis, I am a locksmith, employed in a nationwide locksmith company, and personally a member of the Association of Norwegian Locksmiths. I have been working with locks since 2002, although the interest has been there since I was quite young.

Handcuffs are an old invention, and through the ages there have been many different keys to the different types of handcuffs. For various reasons, very many of the handcuffs used today are supplied with the same key. In this booklet I want to show variations on the theme of standard handcuffs.



Handcuffs have not been of particular interest to me until fairly recently, although I am probably above average interested in keys and locks. In connection with a search on Ebay.com, a handcuff key shaped like a cross appeared. This made me look for whether there were several varieties with hidden, secret or special handcuffs. I found so many varieties that I wanted to collect them in one booklet. This is not a complete list of what is available, but it gives a good picture of what is possible to obtain.

To any readers in defense, police and prison care, I do not know how widespread such hidden keys are in Norway, but the booklet is intended as a wake-up call about what you can find on suspects or inmates. It is therefore important to be aware when transporting people and searches.

The booklet is also intended as a tip for you about what are the hidden keys that you can carry as part of self-protection.

The booklet can be distributed freely electronically or on paper among members of the Norwegian Locksmiths Association, and employees in the justice and defense sector in Norway. It is not desirable that the booklet be posted on the internet without my consent.

All the information in this booklet is found openly on the internet.

The entire booklet is made by me privately, and my employer can not be charged for the contents of this booklet.

I hope users of this booklet send me an email if you have any feedback. If the booklet is used in teaching, I want information about the company / agency / department you belong to and where you have received the booklet from.

I would greatly appreciate if professional handcuff users who find hidden keys or the like can send me emails with photos and / or descriptions.

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Jewelry

St. Michael Ring



St. Michael The ring made of stainless steel St. Michael is the patron saint of police, security personnel and militia. The ring weighs 34 grams, and is handmade for Cuff 'n stuff. In the ring, there is a spring-loaded mechanism that pushes out a handcuff wrench when needed. All photos www.cuffnstuff.com

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Cuff 'n Stuff ring



Silver ring from cuff 'n stuff www.cuffnstuff.com

Kors



Key made as a cross in a necklace

"Wedding rings" with key



Both of these rings were found during police checks in the United States.

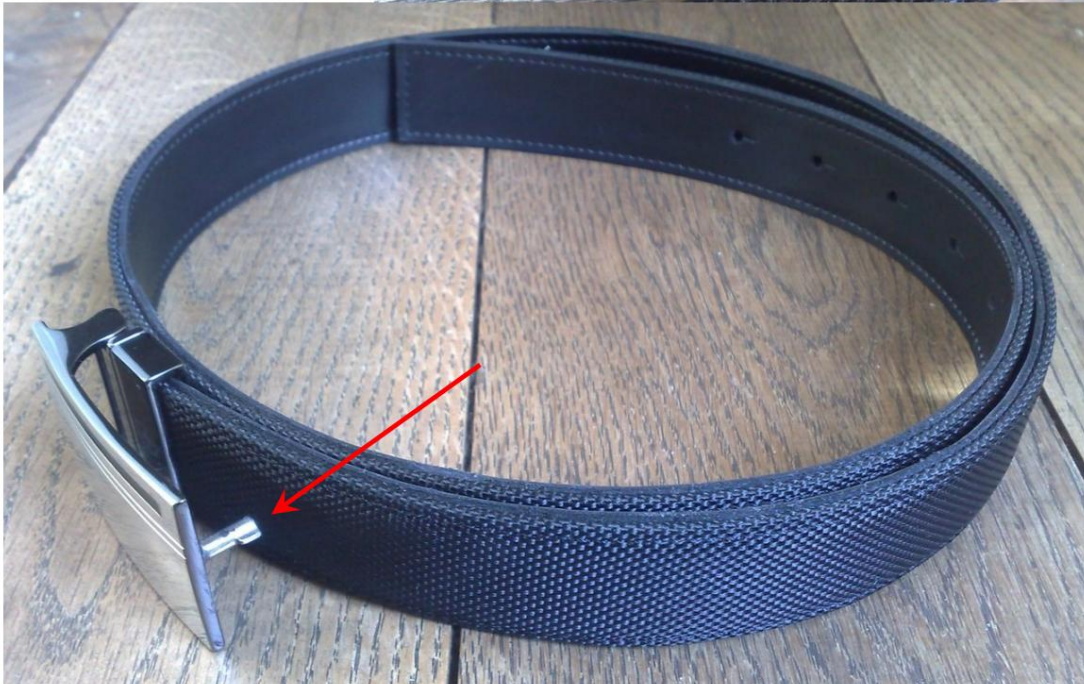


Cufflinks



Cufflinks where the pin is a key.
This is probably more aimed at James Bond
and other finer circles ...

**Belt with key in
buckles**



**Belt buckle with
key in the pin**



Belt with key behind the buckle, and hidden room for extra key



Keys to training



Training keys for handcuffs. Used during training on arrest techniques to save time between each exercise. The key at the top is specially made flat so as not to get in the way when the handcuffs are in a bag or hanging in the belt.

Since the training keys are so small, it is probably not unlikely that they are used as hidden keys



The mini keys are so small that they can easily be overlooked among coins or other pocket rubbish

"Mynt" med nøkkel

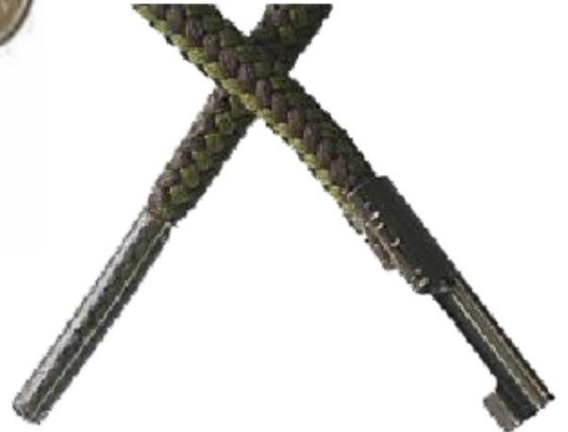


Nøkkelen ligger i en modifisert mynt , og har en liten kant for å vippe ut nøkkelen.
Mynten finnes i flere forskjellige varianter.

Coin with key on the back



A simpler variant of the one on the previous page, here the key is nailed to a real coin.



End piece for shoelace



The end piece is clamped at the end of the shoelace. Can be used on all shoe types, but will probably be most difficult to detect on hiking boots and other slightly larger shoes.



Plastic keys - can not be detected with a metal detector



Many types of handcuffs in plastic have arrived. They can not be detected with metal detectors and can be supplied in many different colors. The keys are often supplied with a plastic ring that can be attached to the waistband or, for example, labels on clothes.

Bracelet with hidden key



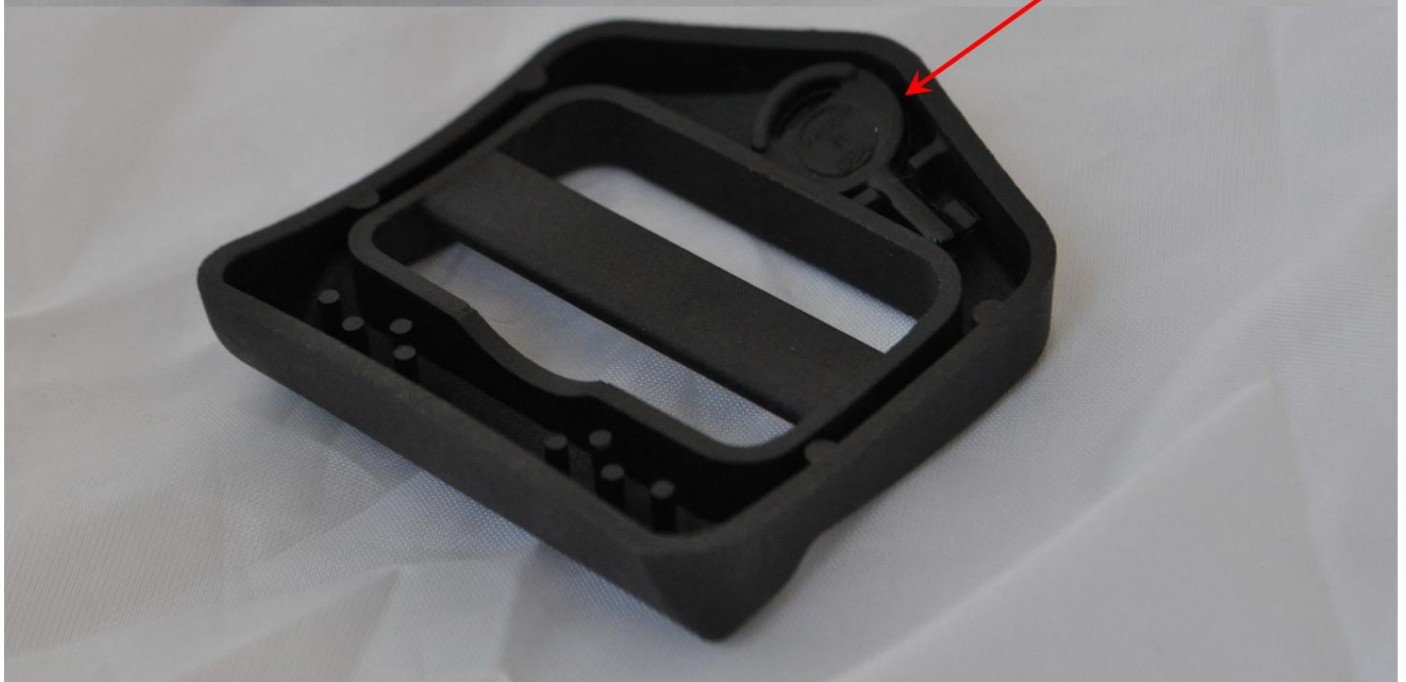
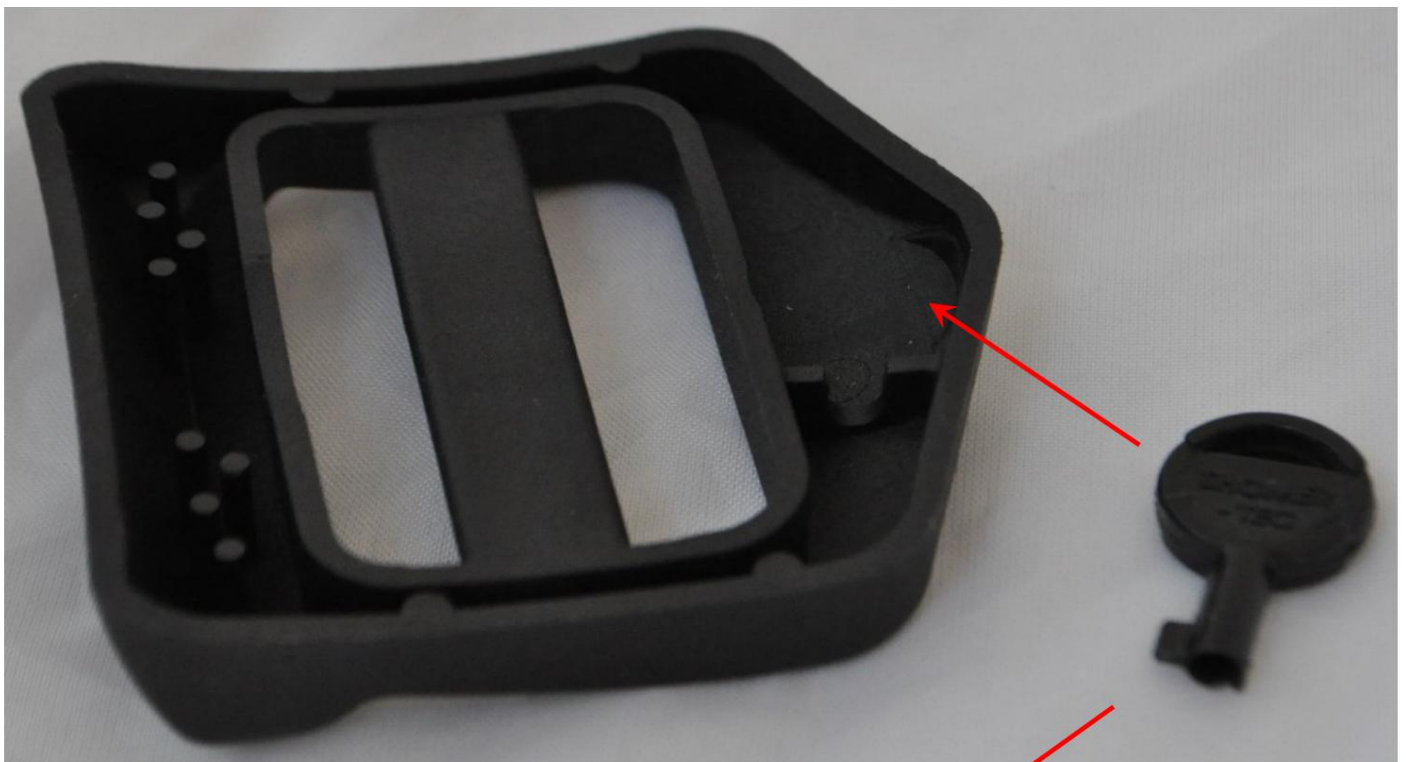
Since it is popular among many to go with different silicone bracelets, it is perhaps not so strange that bracelets with a key on the inside are made.



Armbånd med nøkkel i spennen



Larger belt buckles with key



Zipper drawstring— "zipper pull"



Hidden plastic key hidden in the pendant in the zipper.

At the bottom right is a plastic cover for a regular key that can be hidden as



Covert Zipper Pull with HIDDEN Handcuff Key



Pennekork

Løs kork som passer på
mange kulepenner som for
eksempel BIC



Pens with key



Knives and pocket knives with key



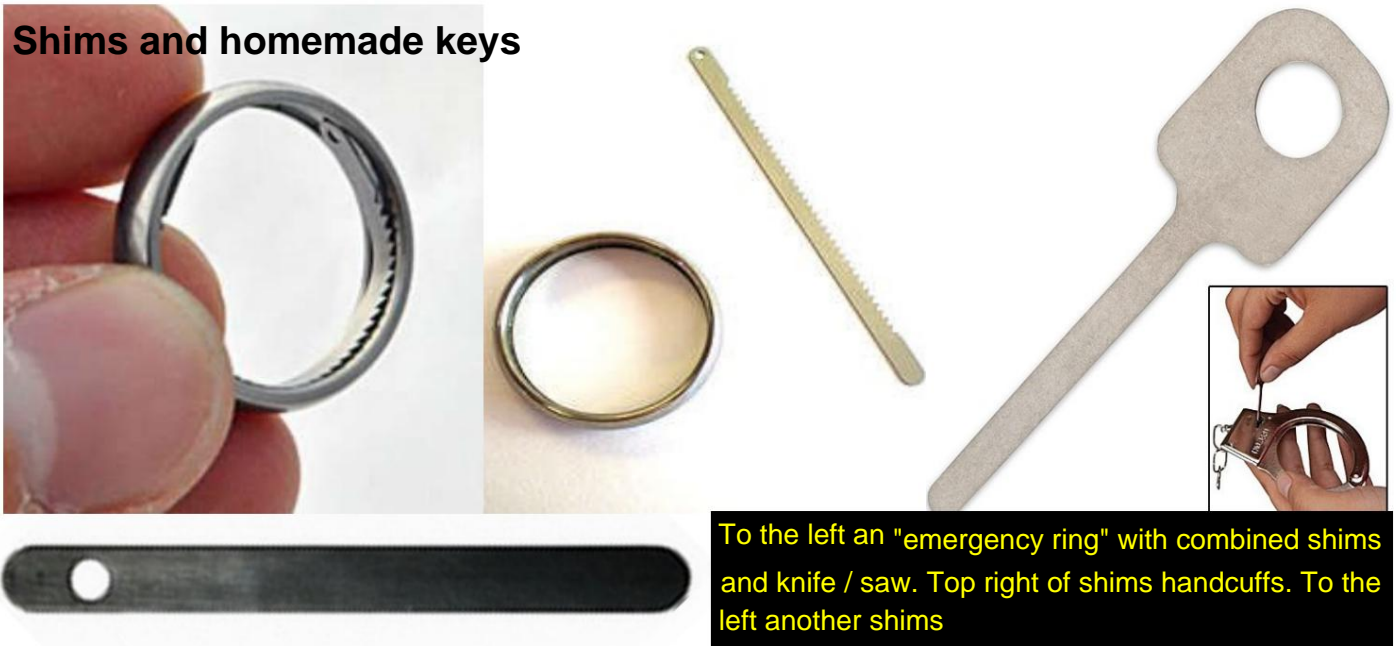
Tool logic has had several models with handcuffs as included equipment.



The pocket knife from ASP below and to the right has gone out of production but they still exist.



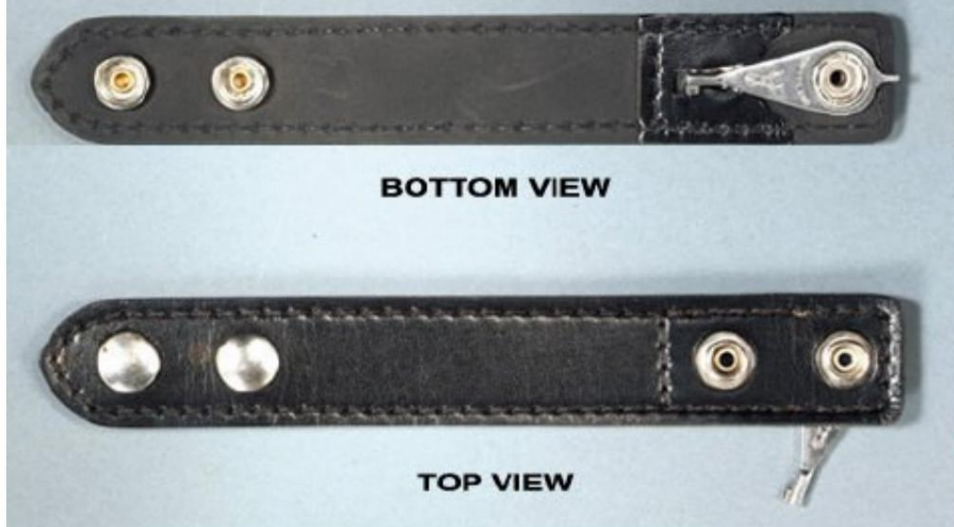
Shims and homemade keys



Various handcuffs made with laser engraving machine, die casting and with 3D printer. Both the black and white keys are the handcuffs of the Dutch police. For many years they have used a key other than the "standard" key. This shows that even if you have more advanced keys than usual, there will always be someone who can make a key. The black key is made after a picture taken at a distance of a key that a policeman had in his belt. The safety pin is prepared to open the handcuffs.



Keys in beltkeepers etc — if the worst should happen ...



Belt keepers / belt loops with handcuff key fitted. Thought as an emergency key in a critical situation.



Left: clip with key, in the middle: a handcuff bag with room for extra key and right: a belt strap with pocket for extra key

Below: keys made especially for mounting or storage in belt straps / beltkeepers.



Forlengede nøkler, hengelås mm



Hengelås som bruker standard hengelåsnøkkel.



Forstørrete nøkler som gjør det lettere å låse opp
håndjern med hansker mm



Various extended keys that facilitate daily use.



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